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DOCUMENT ROOM INTERROGATION ANALYSIS

WITNESS: Baldur Von Shirach
BY : Lt. Col. Hinkel

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NAME HEADINGS: Von Shirach, Hitler

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Preparations for War, Military

Witness describes his early days with the party. (1 - 5).
Joined 1925 (3). Later belonged to SA and became Reichsjugend-
fuehrer 1931. (7) Witness agrees he laid down the policies of HJ
with the aid of various assistants, here described. (10) "I want to
repeat here again what I have already told several times to the
American gentlemen who interrogated me. I am responsible for the
Hitler Youth now as I have been before." (13). The balance of
this session devoted to military training given in various branches
of HJ, and is chiefly characterized by efforts of witness to play
down the obvious military features of his program.